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Pte. Guy Wade Writes Interesting Letter

That the citizens of "Ole Lunnon" are enthusiastic over all the Canadians, for whom they do not seem to be able to do enough, is the information contained in a letter from Pte. G. Wade, of the Canadian Army Medical Corps, at Shorncliffe, to O. O. Schick of Calgary.

Guy Wade enlisted from Gleichen and was one of our best baseball players and took a keen interest in all sport. He also took prominent part in organizing the Knights of Pythias. We fear some of the fair young ladies of Gleichen will be somewhat jealous of the English girls when they read his letter. But never mind, Guy says he ran away from them, and he'll come back to the sweetest girl he knows.

Since landing in England Guy has been all over the country, escorting prisoners and taking convalescents to convalescing homes, and from what he has seen, and what he has gone through himself, he is in a position to state that the very "swellies" homes are open to all Canadian Tommies, and that the automobiles of the wealthiest are at the disposal of the men of the Maple Leaf. Girls, he says there are a-plenty, and as for the best of the people, they feel "awfully put out" when the Canadians whom they invite to stay at their homes during their visit in London, refuse the invitations. On the whole, he adds, the Canadian soldiers are "all the rage" and are in "right" with the English.

As an instance of the admiration of the English Pte. Wade says: "Two of us boys took seven convalescents to Croydon last week, a distance of nine miles from London. It happened to be flag day there, and we stopped a swell looking dame to buy a couple of flags. She asked us if we had been to the front, and, of course, we told her we had. Well, in about two minutes there must have been at least 60 girls around us asking about Canada and the front. We were the first Canadians they had seen there, and they did there best to get our buttons and badges for souvenirs. Some of them even got out their scissors and were going to take them, whether or no. We beat it into a restaurant to get something to eat and get rid of them, but about a dozen followed us in. And they would not let us pay for our supper. And say, Schick, they would have talked a leg off us. We considered ourselves lucky to get away at all."

Guy states that he has played only one game of ball since crossing the pond, is now in the telephone office of the central hospital at Shorncliffe, in connection with which institution some 54 hospitals are run. It is his duty to make a report daily as to the numbers of local sick, overseas sick, overseas sick and wounded and vacant beds, and to arrange for the transportation of the sick and wounded to the different hospitals. In the course of his duties he has seen some very sickening sights direct from the firing line, but, according to his admission, they are sights that one very soon becomes used to.

Namaka, don't grow old in your youth. You really should have a cheerful word for our readers every week. Cheer up, and chirp a little. It will do you good.

Lieut. Col. Lowry Coming for Recruits

In order to recruit the battalion up to full strength as quickly as possible, Lieut.-Col. Lowry the commanding officer of 82nd battalion has made arrangements to visit several points of the province at an early date. These places will include Gleichen, Strathmore, Brooks, Bassano, Medicine Hat, Lethbridge, Bow Island, Taber, Coutts, Macleod, Cardston, Piney Creek, Nanton, Claresholm, High River, Carmangay and Vulcan.

The exact dates of his visit have not been set but it is expected they will be shortly and that he will start out before the end of the present week.

One of the principal objects in visiting these different points will be to obtain units of sections from the various districts so that these men will be allowed to remain together throughout the campaign. This is a matter which is much appreciated by the recruits from outside.

Keep Your Tail Lights Trimmed and Burning

For You Know Not When the Mounty Cometh

Several men have been brought in to court lately for not having tail lights on their autos, but were dismissed with a warning. Some have complained bitterly that there are many others guilty of the same offence and no action taken. In discussing the matter with a justice of the peace he said that he would be obliged if the CALL would give a kindly warning to all auto owners to comply with the law as regards lights as \$20 is the lowest penalty provided by the law, and although personally he would regret imposing such a fine he has no alternative should other cases be brought before him.

This law has been put into force quite recently and few are aware of its existence, and while some such law is required, \$20 as the lowest fine is going to the extreme in our humble opinion. In fact \$2 or \$5 would bring about the desired result in a very short time without making it hard for any person.

While on this subject let us add that there is really too little attention paid to auto regulations generally and it is surprising that no serious accidents have occurred in Gleichen, yet any day they may have to be reckoned with.

Take a kindly warning and let us expect all will be treated alike.

Gleichen Grain Market

SPRING WHEAT	
1 Northern	\$.70
2 Northern	.67
3 Northern	.62
4 Northern	.52
5 Northern	.47
6 Northern	.42
Feed	.36
2 C. W. Oats	.25
Ex. 1 Feed Oats	.23
3 Barley	.34
4 Barley	.30
Feed	.22
1 Nor West Flax	\$1.19
2 Can West	1.16
3 "	1.10

Threshing Now General Little Grain Yet Received

Threshing is now in full blast throughout this district and there is very little standing grain to be cut. The farmers during the past week have pressed into service every man they could use and utilized every hour between dawn and night in order to harvest the greatest crop ever known in these parts.

Yesterday the CALL man made the rounds of the four local elevators to find that the managers were all enthusiastic over the crop situation and preparing or ready to receive the grain. Yet so far there has been very little coming in, which is accounted for by the fact that threshing has only started and many farmers are doing their best to house their grain and wait an advance in the market.

Manager Mat. Leggat of the Alberta Pacific was busy at the moment but found time to figure out that he had taken in 6,531 bushels of wheat and 5,000 of oats.

Bruce Awrey at the Farmers' said he had received 2,000 bushels of wheat and was taking in some then.

W. Saunders at the Pioneer had taken 4,600 bushels of wheat and 555 of oats.

Paul Fleury, who recently arrived from Winnipeg to take charge of the Imperial, has had some trouble with the engine but has now completed all repairs and is ready for business.

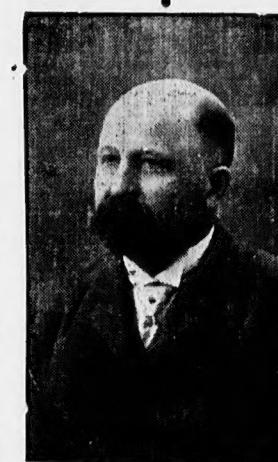
Thus it seen only 13,180 bushels of wheat have been marketed and 5,555 bushels of oats up to noon yesterday.

That the crop is a wonderful one may be judged by the fact that the local lumber yards have turned out sufficient material to build 135 granaries and are busy filling orders for more. Farmer after farmer has arrived in town explaining the reason for being here was simply that the crop had turned out better than expected and one or more granaries were an actual necessity.

The Western Canada Irrigation Convention

The Western Canada Irrigation convention to be held in Bassano from November 24th to 25th gives promise of being a great success and it is expected the prizes offered for the exhibition of soil products as recently published in the CALL will be strongly contested for.

Among the many speakers who are to take part in the convention there will probably be none more interesting than the Honorable W. R. Motherwell, minister of Agriculture for Saskatchewan, who is to deliver an address on dry farming.



HON. W. R. MOTHERWELL
The Minister of Agriculture
for Saskatchewan

LOST—Rear Tail Light for motor car. Kindly leave same with J. O. Bogstie, Gleichen.

Crop Worth More Than the Land

In talking with a man, who recently arrived from the States to look after his interests he, he said he had taken a trip through the district and was amazed with what he had seen. Said he:

"Do you know that for miles around Gleichen this year's crop is worth more than the land? Yes, sir, there are dozens of farmers in this vicinity who will get more for their crop this year than the land has cost them or the C. P. R. or, perhaps, anyone else is asking for the land.

"Think of it. You can buy land for \$35 an acre. Even supposing irrigation is no good—I think it is—all you pay is 50 cents an acre, and it is worth that for stock, allowing you have 80 acres irrigable out of 160.

"Now, I have land in the States that never yields half the number bushels to the acre that I get here that I can get \$250 an acre any time I ask for it and the improvements are no better than many have here. Yet if that land produces only \$11 an acre I am satisfied.

"Of course, we must allow for lean years here as elsewhere, but I have never seen the equal to this country as I have known it for the past five years."

The eighth annual winter show of the Calgary Poultry and Pet Stock Association will be held in the Horse Show building at Calgary from December 14 to 17.

Majorville News

(Our own correspondent)

Beautiful weather.

May it continue.

Another wedding in the near future demonstrates the fact that true love must have its way.

The fact that our clever and energetic teacher is about to leave us has cast a gloom over the district. The ladies are surely puzzled and the pupils have already sent an order to Eaton's for handkerchiefs. "Jack" is a jolly good fellow, a clever athlete and we feel loathe to see him go. No doubt he knows best and we wish him well in his chosen sphere.

Mrs. J. J. Bartsch and family have returned home after an extended visit to friends and relatives near Portland, Ore. Her many friends are pleased to see her much recuperated in health and looking much better for her recent trip.

A hundred thousand (100,000) bushels of grain for Majorville this season seems likely, which has always been noted for No. 1 hard. The general average seems about 40 bushels per acre, while the report comes from Messrs. A. Beggs' farm that they are threshing at present 56 bushels to the acre of marquis wheat. Many large yields are anticipated.

The sound of five threshing outfit this morning within the writer's hearing reminds one of what is really doing.

Take me back to Old Virginia,
Back where the corn and cotton grow.

No chance. Let me dwell in sunny Alberta. Right here in Majorville. Where the Marquis prude and Red Fife I will sow.

Venus.

Coming Events

Sept. 28—British Remount purchase horses here.

Oct. 1—Annual meeting of Red Cross Society.

Nov. 23 to 25—Western Canada Irrigation convention at Bassano.

Dec. 14 to 17—Calgary Winter Fair.

Every Monday—Oddfellows.

Every Thursday—K. of P.

Monday—Ad. changes required by noon at CALL office.

STRAYED—from ranch of Casper Bartsch, one dark bay gelding, foretop clipped, white spot on head, pigtail tail, branded **J** blotted **10** reward for delivery to above or information as to whereabouts.—Jack Matthews.

TAKEN UP—by N. J. Robinson, Sec. 24-21-25. Sorrel roan mare, branded **F** (joined) on left hip, 4 white feet, white stripe in face, weight about 700 lbs., aged.

Mike Brown, Brand Reader

"MADE-IN-CANADA" MASQUERADE

Some Unscrupulous Importers Using "Made-in-Canada" Slogan Dishonestly

A well known Canadian manufacturing firm in a big advertisement the other day called attention to some current deceptions which are practised in connection with the "Made-in-Canada" slogan. When the "Made-in-Canada" movement was launched so effectively last fall a great many importers and agents handling foreign goods made a frantic endeavor to climb on the "Made-in-Canada" band wagon. Some have succeeded in retaining their position fairly well, but the Canadian consumer should see to it that they are made to get off and walk under their true colors. "Jack" is a jolly good fellow, a clever athlete and we feel loathe to see him go. No doubt he knows best and we wish him well in his chosen sphere.

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ARE THEY ALL DISLOYAL?

Other Dominions Increase Tariff on British Goods

That our tariff against British goods is a contradiction of our loyalty is most unfair inference. The erection and maintenance of a protective tariff against the manufactured goods Great Britain has been in accord with the measure of self-government which has been fully and freely granted by the British Government and other self-governing dominions such as New Zealand, Australia, Newfoundland and South Africa have also erected and maintained protective tariffs against the goods of the United Kingdom without remonstrance from the Imperial Government. Australia has recently made a general increase in her tariff, including the duties on goods coming into that country from the United Kingdom, without such action being considered "particularly objectionable." Moreover, the United Kingdom maintains a high customs tariff on many articles with out giving a preference to the colonies.

There is no disputing the fact that Canadian manufacturers cannot pay Canadian wages, Canadian rents, Canadian insurance and Canadian prices for raw material and compete in producing a great number of articles with British manufacturers, who pay British wages, British rents, British insurance and British prices for raw material, unless Canadian goods have adequate protection. This is the situation which existed before the war, and the war has not changed it.

About a hundred years ago the Imperial Government abandoned the old colonial policy of concentrating manufacturing in the British Isles and confining the energies of the colonists to the production of raw materials. Those who try to resurrect this policy of surrendering our fiscal autonomy are, curiously enough, the strongest opponents to any suggestion of surrendering our political autonomy.

Surely, if we value the right to make our own laws, we should not throw away the opportunity of making our own goods.

IF YOU ARE A TRADESMAN

Demand of your jobber that he give you "Made-in-Canada" products. Advertise and push merchandise made in Canada. Use "Made-in-Canada" window cards.

MISCELLANEOUS

Notices under this heading 25 words or under 50c for one issue and 8 issues for \$1. Over 25 words one cent a word charged for each insertion.

Horses and cattle lost and found, for sale and wanted; Seed grain for sale and wanted; Land to sell, rent or buy, and any other of a similar nature will get quick results by being published under this heading.

Brand reading notices \$1.50 for each animal, three insertions. Over 25 words 1 cent per word extra each issue.

LOST—Small 16-inch hand grip on the trail between Calgary and Gleichen. Finder please advise J. Clamp, Majorville.

\$50 REWARD will be paid to any giving information to me or the N.W.M.P. leading to the conviction of the blackguard who poisoned my brindle greyhound. C. F. R. Bruce, Cluny.

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SITUATION WANTED—By man and wife capable of taking charge of cook car throughout the threshing season. Practical experience. References furnished. Apply Box T, CALL office, Gleichen.

LOST—One right hand Persian Lamb mitt, on the street. Reward offered at CALL office. 20ft.

\$15 REWARD per head will be paid for delivery of one grey mare branded **Q** on left shoulder and **2Q** on right hip; and one bay gelding branded **EE** on left hip and **2C** on left shoulder, star in fore, **2C** head white snap on nose. Deliver to Palace Hotel, Gleichen, or H2 ranch, McGillis. 25ft.

FOR SALE—one I.H.C. Hay Press 17x22. Also one I.H.C. 8 h.p. Gasoline Engine with 10*1/2* grinder, all in good condition. Apply to J. A. Maynard, Cluny, Alta.

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The Brave Six Hundred Who Died in

Silence

WING HOMER, his biography from the Dardanelles, a memoir of the French Expeditionary Force describes in a letter, reproduced by the *Matra*, how he saw H.M.S. Majestic go to her doom.

It was about 6:35 a.m., he says, when the battleship was struck. As soon as it was觸med by the German submarine she heeled over, began to burn, and then started on a course of about 45 degrees to port. Everything on deck fell off as if a tremendous din had taken place. But I owe to the truth to say that there was not a single instant of panic and that many of the seamen who received the tumultuous roar of danger did not even take a critical instant to calm themselves. They had not time to do so, for they were after the explosion the *Majestic* abandoned her ruined position and turned completely over and went down, the forward keel abeam, dragging

the British heroes to their death.

It was a terrible moment, but it was also glorious when six hundred men, mostly death mated and strong, were thrown into the sea, covered and caught in the torpedo nets which snared them like an immense trap among the gigantic eddies of their annihilated battleship.

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British Valor Unsurpassed

British courage was never more

gloriously exhibited than it has been by the soldiers and sailors of the empire during the present conflict. The long roll of British victories in the past centuries was never embellished by nobler feats of arms than those performed upon land and sea by British army and navy during the past twelve months. Not Gloriator gave greater glory to Britain than has the ceaseless warfare in the trenches of Flanders, the sons of the Emerald Isle. The courage of Bannockburn has continued through the intervening centuries, and the Queen of Scotland has died at Namur at Mons and at Ypres even as their fathers died for generations that their land should be kept free. Every soldier, Agincourt, Blenheim, Baddo or Waterloo gave English soldiers to greater laurels for bravery than have Nevers, Chappelle, St. Julian and Givenchy. British valor is unsurpassable by troops of any nation that the sun shines upon. French and French and other British commanders have accomplished all that it was possible to accomplish.—*Washington Post*.

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for the Canadian postal service to return them to the senders. In view of this

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Alberta's Hog Crop.

While last year the run of hogs in Alberta numbered approximately a million head, the run this year will not exceed 600,000, according to the estimate of the Provincial Live Stock Commissioner. But while there will be a falling off in the number of animals marketed this will be more than made up in the weight of the animals sent to market. Last year, owing to the high price of grain, many hogs were put on the market at a very light weight, and many of the farmers disposed of their breeding stock.

The commissioner estimates that it requires four and a half pounds of grain to produce a pound of pork. Taking this as a fair estimate and allowing for reasonable per centage of grain from pasture, live pork costs to produce approximately five cents a pound when grain commands good prices. As a finished ration one bushel of wheat will produce twelve pounds of pork, or a bushel of barley nine pounds of pork. But, he says it requires very careful feeding to produce these results.

The most valuable hog, and that which is most in demand in the West, is that which is marketed at from 185 to 225 pounds. From this is produced the better class of bacon—the meat most in demand for the trade of the Canadian packers. While this hog is more generally marketed by the farmers in Alberta, there are a number who still prefer the large 300-pound animal, which is in greater demand from the Chicago packers. The men who breed these animals are principally settlers who come to the West from the corn belts of the States, where they have previously made a success in this line of agriculture.

Canada's Greatest Grain Crop.

The Dominion Census and Statistic office has published its annual preliminary estimate of the production in Canada of the principal grain crops (wheat, oats, rye, barley and flax seed), as well as a report on the condition of all field crops at the end of August.

The preliminary estimate of this year's wheat crop in Canada is a total of 308,839,800 bushels from 12,986,400 acres, representing an average yield per acre of 23.78 bush. This total is 147,559,800 bushels, or 91 per cent, in excess of last year's yield of 161,280,000 bushels; 77,122,800 bushels or 33 per cent in excess of the previous highest yield of 231,717,000 bushels in 1913, or 58 per cent in excess of the annual average yield of 196,200,000 bushels for the five years 1910 to 1914. In average yield per acre, and total yield, the present estimate is the highest on record in Canada.

Of oats the total yield for 1915 is estimated at 488,000,000 bushels from 11,865,000 acres, an average yield per acre of 42.94 bushels. Barley is placed at 51,655,000 bushels from 1,903,000 acres, an average per acre of 32.22.

Soldiers May Harvest Another Month.

The Alberta Government Department of Agriculture has arranged with the military authorities to extend the time for soldiers leave at harvest work one month longer upon their personal application to their officer commanding. It has been decided that the removal of so large a number of competent harvesters would leave a gap impossible to fill at the present time without a great deal of inconvenience to the farmers employing them.

The opportunity that awaits the poultrymen in Canada is clearly indicated by a table published showing the steadily increasing importation of eggs into Canada due to the fact that not enough are produced in the country to meet its requirement. The table shows that last year 11,274,108 dozen eggs were imported into Canada and only 14,002 exported. Mrs. Canuck Hen should now get busy.

According to "Everybody's Magazine" the United States sadly, but grimly, begins the task of equipping herself adequately for defense. She had hoped and believed the world was growing past the barbarisms of war. So strongly had she believed it that, in a nation of a hundred million, she had a mobile army of just thirty-one thousand scattered over one-half million square miles.

Farms For Sale

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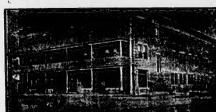
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THE ARGUMENT**IN A NUTSHELL**

"Made-in-Canada" idea in Condensed Form—A Simple but Convincing Statement

A writer in the University Magazine for April attacks the "Made-in-Canada" movement as being a "fairy tale." He states: After commenting on the selfishness of those who are responsible for it he delves into some economic arguments which show that even if a country does not buy it cannot sell, and that goods are exchanged for funds. There is a great number of truths in the latter statement, but the "Made-in-Canada" argument does not deny this. It is a practical policy, dictated by most sound economic principles, based on the theory that what is good for Canada and Canadians must, in the long run, also be good for the Empire, of which we form a part. The "Made-in-Canada" argument is simply this:

Canada is a young country, which, although it has one of the most moderate protective tariffs in the world, has built up a great national industrial system. The result of this is that the output of this plant has decreased because the demand for manufactured goods has fallen off, with the result that many workers are out of employment and a great quantity of unsold goods is stored in warehouses. Yet there is a large amount of Canadian dollars worth of manufactured goods abroad. Those who advocate the "Made-in-Canada" policy say to Canadian buyers: "If you can't purchase an imported article see if you can find a similar Canadian article which would suit you. You may possibly find it and will find probably, too, that the quality and price compare favorably with the quality and price of the imported article. If you could discover, in some cases that the Canadian article is not quite so good or quite so cheap as the imported article, then you can tell your physician, will tell in time to bring about a state of affairs where the Canadian article would be equal or superior to the imported article. Possibly, in view of the present extraordinary situation, you might consider a date in favor of the Canadian article, but do not ask me to make any considerable sacrifice to do so. If thousands of Canadian buyers follow this advice, Canadian articles will be produced in such great quantities that their quality can be improved and their price lowered. Canadian raw materials will be used, and the cost will be furnished at home, and our foreign obligations will be reduced."

A DOLLAR TALKS

Warns Its Owner Against Sending It Away—Needs a Home

"I am a Dollar. A little girl found me, lost in circulation. I am proud of my being in circulation. I am no tom-tom—no—no! I am a dollar, a dollar, a dollar home, but I like it and hope to remain permanently. When I came out of the mint I was adopted into a town like mine. I have been adopted several times. I was sent off to a big city, many miles away. I turned up in a middle-of-the-night hotel. For several years I stayed in that city, in the middle-of-the-night signs with me. I didn't like that, for I believe in the plain people. Finally a travel agent adopted me, and took me to this town and left me here. I was so glad to get back to a smaller town that I am determined to make a home after this day."

"One day a citizen of this town was about to send me back to that big city, I caught him looking over a mail-order catalog. So I said to him, 'Wait a minute and said to him: 'Look here, if you'll let me stay in this town I'll circulate around and you'll lots of good. You buy a few breakfasts, and the butcher will help groceries, and the grocer will buy hardware, and the hardware man will buy his tools, and will go with me, and the doctor will spend me with a farmer for oats to feed his horse with, and the farmer will buy seeds, and the blacksmith will buy tools who will come around to the dentist to get his tooth mended. In the long run, as you see, I'll be more useful to you than at home than if I were sent away forever.'

"The man said nothing, but I heard him mutter under his breath, 'I don't know if that's right, but I'll look into it.'

The above comes from "Country Life in Canada," for June, illustrates in a striking manner the argument for home town buying. The present article is the strongest in the matter of "Made-in-Canada" purchasing. The best results can be obtained when purchases are made in dollars of the new community. First, giving the preference, where possible, to articles made in the community, second, to "Made-in-Canada" articles, and third, where "Made-in-Canada" articles cannot be secured, preference should be given to those made within the Empire.

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One stroke of bell in a thick fog does not give any lasting impression of its location, but when followed by repeated strokes at regular intervals the densest fog or the darkest night cannot long conceal its whereabouts. Likewise a single insertion of an advertisement—as compared with regular and systematic advertising—is in its effect not unlike a sound which, heard but faintly once, is lost in space and soon forgot.

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The new C.P.R. timetable takes effect next Sunday, May 3rd, and the arrivals at Gleichen are as follows:

Train No. 12—west bound—8.05
815—west bound—13.45
3—west bound—13.45
14—east bound—24.08
4—east bound—15.50
510—west bound—21.09

PROGRAM OF CENTENARY PEACE CELEBRATION HAS BEEN MODIFIED

WONDERFUL UNANIMITY OF TWO GREAT NATIONS

Forthcoming Celebration in Connection with the Hundred Years of Peace will be Somewhat Curtailed Owing to the War, But when War is Over a Large Festival will be Held

Owing to the war the program of the forthcoming celebrations in connection with the hundred years of peace between Great Britain and the United States has been somewhat modified. This decision has been reached after consultation between the leading men responsible for the preparations. In the midst of a terrible conflict, it did not appear seemly that public rejoicings should be encouraged. This part of the program, accordingly, has been postponed till a more convenient season, which make other continents so dreadful a spectacle today.

These messages display a wonderful unanimity of conviction, and it may be added that many of those from the neighboring republic convey the heartiest good wishes for the success of our cause. Another feature of the pamphlet is the description of the services held on Sunday, February 14, in an extraordinary number of churches in both countries.

The public celebrations of this triumph of reasonableness and good-will should be one of the earliest events after the conclusion of the present dreadful struggle.

In the meantime the most important part of the program is being carried through. The education of public opinion and the cultivation of a reasonable attitude of mind in the conduct of international relations are being emphasized.

The mayor of Cleveland, replying to a message from Toronto, says:

"The preservation of the peace for 100 years between two great peoples with an unafflicted number of 4,000 miles is the greatest achievement in the history of nations. May the next 100 years further strengthen our cordial good-will, and may our example teach men everywhere the possibilities of permanent peace with honor."

Prices Still Higher

Cost of Living Has Gone up Since the War

The annual report of the department of labor on prices of wholesale and other goods during 1914 states that "the factor which chiefly affected Canadian prices during the year 1914 was the outbreak in August of the great European war. From January until April the general price level was steady with a slight tendency upward; thereafter there was a decline of two points in the index number, during June and July, the latter being the lowest month of the year. The war, however, at once caused advances of about seven points, and though there was a reaction almost immediately and although the year ended on approximately the same level as it began, the effect on the average for the 12 months was a rise. The departmental index number (which includes 272 commodities) stood at 136.1 for 1914, compared with 135.5 for 1913, and 134.4 for 1912; these numbers being percentages of the average prices prevailing during the decade 1890-95, the period adopted by the departments as the basis of comparison. The price reached in September, namely 141.4, was the highest recorded by the department since 1899."

The chief increases for the year as a whole appeared in the groups, grains and fodder, which rose 14 per cent; animals and meats, 6 per cent; woolens, 8 per cent; hides, 10 per cent; drugs and chemicals, 7 per cent. Raw furs declined 33 per cent, fuel and lighting 6 per cent, and cottons 5 per cent. Food prices returned to the high levels that prevailed in the latter part of 1911 and early 1912. Meats were on a high level throughout the year, but showed much weakness in the last three months.

An appendix to the report gives the average retail prices of some 32 articles of food and of coal, wood and coal oil, and the rent of a representative workingman's dwelling in each of the localities of the Dominion having a population of 10,000 and over for each year back to 1910. A statement showing the average weekly expenditure of a typical family of five on these staple commodities gives the cost of a budget of food at \$7.73, as compared with \$7.33 in 1913 and 1912, and \$7.11 in 1911, and \$6.95 in 1910.

Immigration Law Tightened

Government Decides That Immigrants Must Have Certain Sum of Money

An order-in-council has been passed providing that no immigrant other than the members of a family shall be permitted to enter Canada between March 1 and October 31, unless the possessor of at least \$25. The head of the family must have in his possession \$25 for each member of the family upwards of 18 years of age, and \$12.50 for each member of the family under that age. Immigrants seeking to enter Canada between November 1 and the end of February will be subjected to the same conditions except that the amount per head necessary to have will be \$50 instead of \$25. The following exceptions to the foregoing general regulations are provided for in the order-in-council:

(a) That the immigrant, if a male, is going to assured employment at farm work, and has the means of reaching the place of such employment;

(b) That the immigrant, if a female, is going to assured employment at domestic service, and has the means of reaching the place of such employment;

(c) That the immigrant, whether male or female, if one of the following descriptions, and is going to reside with a relative of one of the following descriptions, who is able and willing to support such immigrant, and has the means of reaching the place of residence of such relative:

(1) Wife going to husband.
(2) Child going to parent.
(3) Brother or sister going to brother.

(4) Minor going to married or independent sister.

(5) Parent going to son or daughter. These regulations will not apply to immigrants belonging to any Asiatic race.

Farmer-Banker Co-Operation

Future Industrial Prosperity Depends on Co-operation, Says American Paper

A farmer-banker conference has no ordinary significance at this time. It is an opportunity to bring a lagging public opinion up to date. Free and easy America, willingly or unwillingly, must pull itself together for future industrial prosperity in much the same way that Europe is waging the war. The enormous advantages of national co-operation will accrue to a country at peace as well as a country at war. It is to be supposed for a second that Great Britain will let Lloyd George go at the end of the war in the face of the trade machine that the German government has perfected?

Co-operation that Americans have so voluminously talked about and so generally neglected has now become a necessity. Business men, legislators, producers, and consumers must organize if the United States is to take a position in proportion to its size, riches, ability and resources. In an age of world co-operation an exaggerated individualism must not confuse democratic progress. When America was sparsely settled with hunters, herders, and farmers individualism was a practical and natural love. Now millions of mouths are to be fed and hands kept busy through industrial activity in domestic and foreign trade; if the German government organizes one of those efficient combinations known as the cartel, to sell pencils in Peru, then the merchants of this country must do the same.

But it does not mean that the American government is suddenly to become paternalistic or develop into a state socialism. If the intelligent individual accepts the new co-operative world and the banker will work with the farmer not for immediate but ultimate gains, public opinion will never impose upon him. Co-operation in place of individualism does not run counter to any democratic principles or theories, but merely puts them on trial again. Can an individualistic democracy adapt itself intelligently to the methods that will bring the greatest prosperity to the country?

The farmer-banker method of working out the problem is in harmony with the best traditions of democratic Americanism.—Chicago Tribune.

More Men Needed

Lord Kitchener's Grave Statement in Respect to Recruiting

Lord Kitchener's Guildhall speech in aid of recruiting is the most serious utterance on this subject—and the cognate subject of the gravity of the present military situation—which has yet been heard.

He not only repeats his prediction of ten months ago, that the war would be a long one—he not only relates with greater insistence his call for "men and still more men"—but he adds that "our position today is at least as serious as it was then."

Listen to these stinging, stunning sentences from the iron Kitchener:

"There still remains a vital need for men to fill the ranks of our armies, and it is to emphasize this point and to bring it home to the people of this country that I have come here."

"When I took up the office I hold, I did so as a soldier, and not as a politician, and I warned my fellow-countrymen that the war would be not only arduous but long. In one of my earliest statements, made after the beginning of the war, I said that I should require 'more men'—and still more, until the enemy is crushed." I repeat that statement today with even greater insistence.

"All the reasons which led me to think, in August, 1914, that this war would be a prolonged one, hold good at the present time. It is true that we are in an immeasurably better situation than we were ten months ago, but our position today is at least as serious as it was then."

What does Canada propose to do about it?—Montreal Star.

Farmers and Manufacturers

Effort to Bring About More Friendly Relations

One of the most important events of the past year was the sympathetic understanding which was reached between farmers and manufacturers. In care of the potato planter, Mr. F. W. L. Macomber, a planter, gave practical counsel on cultivation and preparation for winter. Mr. F. Charland, Dominion Tobacco Specialist, deals with matters whereof he knows relative to the growth and development of the tobacco plant, and Dr. Frank T. Shattuck, Dominion Chemist, briefly furnishes sage advice regarding the farm water supply. Mr. J. F. Watson, Chief Officer of the Extension and Publicity Division, emphasizes the invitation to the 726,000 occupiers of farm lands in the Dominion to address problems for solution to principals and superintendents. A copy of "Seasonable Hints," it should be added can be had free on addressing the Publication Branch, Department of Agriculture, Ottawa.

Canadian Bravery

The Clean Record Men of Canada Made in France

Colonel Currie, M.P., who has returned to Ottawa temporarily from the front, adds his tribute to the Canadian troops in France, whose bravery has rung throughout the length and breadth of the British empire. It is a tribute from one soldier to other soldiers and none can be of greater value. Our men, says Colonel Currie, "fought like veterans. They were equal to one against us, but our men held out. Today no troops on the whole battlefield have a better reputation for courage, fighting ability and reliability than have the Canadians."

Canada's sons have covered themselves with glory. They have done all that men can do. And when one remembers in brief how a time they had to train themselves for the tremendous task laid upon them, the marvel is all the greater.

"It was a clean record all through," said Colonel Currie, "that the men of Canada made in France." And a noble and heroic one, too.—Vancouver World.

Best Food for Soldiers in Training

The army purchasing commission is determined insofar as possible to see that the food purchased for soldiers in training at the various military camps is of the best quality.

Any complaints which are made by the officers and men will at once receive the attention of the commission.

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Recruits Wanted.

Universities Company Offers Opportunity For Congenital Companionship

Dr. Friedman Declares Elderly Men Are Valuable as Checks on Youthful Radicalism

There are many men in Canada who are anxious to go and play their part in the great war, who are willing to do so as officers, but from want of adequate military training or for other reasons, are unable to obtain commissions. There are other men who would prefer to join the ranks simply because they realize the enormous responsibility of the wastage of life which results from the bad leadership of an improperly trained officer.

Some of these men hesitate to go in the ranks, merely because they are uncertain of finding the congenital companionship of men of similar training and tastes.

Now, there is an organization in Canada exactly suited to the requirements of such men, and its existence should be brought clearly to the notice of every young man in Canada.

The Universities of Canada are working loyally together to raise company after company, and to send them overseas to reinforce as units that famous regiment, the Princess Patricia's Canadian Light Infantry.

These companies are composed of men from the Universities of Canada, the friends of such men, and broadly speaking, from men of that type.

It must be clearly understood that they are not all university men, for there are bank clerks, lawyers, architects, engineers, ranchers and others, and it has been found that such men pull well together and enjoy military life to the full. If the existence of such a force was known throughout the length and breadth of Canada, there would be no difficulty in recruiting a full company within a week.

The first university company, under the command of an excellent leader, Captain Gregor Barclay, has been formed at six or seven times the time for maturity. The immediate cause of death is generally some well marked disease. The morality among the aged is less than among the young and the more vigorous; the latter are naturally more exposed to the casualties of life.

"An old man, even of a bad constitution, who bears a regular and sober life, is surer of a long one than the young man of the best constitution who leads a disorderly life. Extravagance with life must everywhere be discouraged. Man does not die; he kills himself.

"Religious life favors longevity, because it breeds an optimism, ease and contentment that help one to meet the adversities of life with more courage and endurance.

"In order to enjoy life past forty it is said that one must have attained some degree of success. Nothing makes the contemplation of old age so discouraging as to reflect upon years of mere existence and no accomplishment.

The great general average for years of activity in all endeavors, says Dr. Friedman, is forty. He adds, however, that there have been many great works accomplished by a few really great elderly men.

"When it is appreciated," he writes, "that there are not more than perhaps five hundred really great men in the history of the world, one must understand what a very small percentage have managed to break through the shell of mediocrity. Galton estimates that seventy per cent of their work was completed before forty-five and eighty per cent before fifty years of age.

"Old age is a vascular problem and has been well expressed in the axiom that a man is as old as his arteries."

Shortage of Labor

A Famine of Unskilled Labor is Predicted

According to C.P.R. advice there is likely to be a shortage of farm labor in the west in the fall. There are already over 100,000 of our Canadian young men under arms, and as discouraging as to reflect upon years of mere existence and no accomplishment.

The newspapers and publicity agents, by their voluntary aid freely given, have shown themselves to be the most efficient means of furnishing recruits, but we ask every reader to help the men to join the company they are looking for, and the company to find the men required.

Patriotic Acre Fund

Farmers of Saskatchewan Will Contribute to the Relief Fund

The farmers of Saskatchewan through the Provincial Grain Growers' association have in hand a big scheme for patriotic relief work. It was originated by Mr. T. H. Morgan, if the Thunder Valley local association, and adopted with unanimous and great enthusiasm by over a thousand delegates at the big convention held in Regina last February.

The appeal has gone to every farmer in Saskatchewan to pledge himself to give the gross proceeds of one or more acres of wheat or other grain to a fund to be called the "Patriotic Acre Fund." By so doing those who must stay at home will be doing their bit for the nation in this present great crisis.

Forms have been sent to all local centres of the association, which the farmer is required to sign, by which he promises to give the proceeds of his acre. Already 22,000 of the forms are in the hands of association members and application for more are reaching the association daily.

Arrangements have been made with the Saskatchewan Co-operative Elevator Co., Ltd., under which they will take all grain offered in connection with the scheme at full car-load track price. Other elevator companies will, in all probability, do the same and the grain will be milled in the province at the lowest possible cost to the fund, the bran and middlings being retained in the provinces for sale to the members of the various locals. The flour will be put up in specially prepared sacks, bearing the emblem of the Saskatchewan Grain Growers' association, and they will no doubt be preserved in many a home across the seas as a memento of the occasion. The flour will be transported to the coast by the train-load, and it is anticipated free of cost and on arrival in England it will be presented to the imperial government as a free gift to be devoted to the relief of those in need, whether their nationality be British or Belgian.

The relations between the farmer and the manufacturer, instead of being antagonistic, should be of the most friendly character. To bring about more friendly relations and greater co-operative effort there must be without a prosperous farming community and increased production from the land for the harvest.

The neutral observer in the London Times writes: "A few Germans are beginning to wonder what is the matter with Germany, or rather with her leaders, why everyone is falling on her and endeavoring to stab her in the back, why she has no friends, and why she cannot keep the peace with those hitherto neutral.

Germany today has so many enemies that she is no longer equal to the task, and there are many signs that would tend to indicate a more belligerent spirit is taking the place of the 'Gott strafe' fever. German public opinion is at the present moment the most inarticulate in Europe, the people have never been permitted to think politically, and international politics are for the great majority a closed book. But each day reveals more outspoken criticisms of Germany's foreign policy, and the man in the street is faintly beginning to realize that there must be a wide gulf between German 'right' and that of other peoples."

During the month of April, throughout central and eastern Ontario and western Quebec, no fewer than 81 buildings were destroyed or damaged by lightning.

Ambrose, the porter, entered the office of the city editor, who enjoyed a chat with the bright, if uneducated, negro.

"Ambrose, do you favor political economy?"

"No, sir; Ah certainly do not. It's only a scheme of de bosses to defeat woman's suffrage so dey won't have to buy so many votes." Life.

Teacher—Katherine, what do you know about the orchid family?

Katie—Please, mum, mother has forbidden us to indulge in any family gossip.—Boston Transcript.

Years No Test of Age says Physician

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